

REMARKS

This responds to the Ex-Parte Quayle Office Action mailed on April 9, 2008. Claims 1-10 are pending. Claim 2 has been amended in response to the Examiner's objection. Antecedent basis has been provided for "said open end" (claim 6) by appropriately amending claim 2. As such, Applicants respectfully request reconsideration and notice of allowance.

Applicants do not believe that any fees are due in connection with this submission. However, if any fees are necessary to complete this communication, the Commissioner may consider this to be a request for such and charge any necessary fees to Deposit Account No. 23-3000.

Respectfully submitted,

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